

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for one's fellow man; and,

Whereas, Warren Prascher has been a dedicated volunteer for the Sturgis Veteran's Honor Guard for 15 years providing military honors to veterans and will officially retire on May 29, 2006, after participating in approximately 2,600 funerals; and,

Whereas, Warren served as Commander of the Sturgis Veteran's Honor Club for 12 years; and,

Whereas, Warren is a World War II veteran and life time member of the VFW and American Legion, serving on committees at the district and state level of the American Legion; and,

Whereas, Warren has been an active volunteer at Ft. Meade Veteran's Hospital for bingo, games and many other activities; and,

Whereas, Warren will be honored at an appreciation dinner on April 22, 2006; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan on this momentous occasion:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 22, 2006, as

WARREN PRASCHER DAY

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of April in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Six.

M. Michael Rounds
M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson
Chris Nelson, Secretary of State